MEMBERSHIP in the UNITED NATIONS

The 127 Member States of the United Nations, and the date of their admission to the Organization, are as follows:

Afghanistan	19 November 1946
Albania	14 December 1955
Algeria	8 October 1962
*Argentina	24 October 1945
*Australia	1 November 1945
Austria	14 December 1955
Barbados	9 December 1966
*Belgium	27 December 1945
*Bolivia	14 November 1945
Botswana	17 October 1966
*Brazil	24 October 1945
Bulgaria	14 December 1955
Burma	19 April 1948
Burundi	18 September 1962
*Byelorussian SSR	24 October 1945
Cameroon	20 September 1960
*Canada	9 November 1945
Central African Republic	20 September 1960
Ceylon	14 December 1955
Chad	20 September 1960
*Chile	24 October 1945
*China	24 October 1945
*Colombia	5 November 1945
Congo (Democratic Republic of)	20 September 1960
*Costa Rica	2 November 1945
*Cuba	24 October 1945
Cyprus	20 September 1960
*Czechoslovakia	24 October 1945
Dahomey	20 September 1960
*Denmark	24 October 1945

*Original Member.

*Dominican Republic	24 October 1945
*Ecuador	21 December 1945
*El Salvador	24 October 1945
Equatorial Guinea	12 November 1968
*Ethiopia	13 November 1945
Fiji	13 October 1970
Finland	14 December 1955
*France	24 October 1945
Gabon	20 September 1960
Gambia	21 September 1965
Ghana	8 March 1957
*Greece	25 October 1945
*Guatemala	21 November 1945
Guinea	12 December 1958
Guyana	20 September 1966
*Haiti	24 October 1945
*Honduras	17 December 1945
Hungary	14 December 1955
Iceland	19 November 1946
*India	30 October 1945
Indonesia	28 September 1950
*Iran	24 October 1945
*Iraq	21 December 1945
Ireland	14 December 1955
Israel	11 May 1949
Italy	14 December 1955
Ivory Coast	20 September 1960
Jamaica	18 September 1962
Japan	18 December 1956
Jordan	14 December 1955
Kenya	16 December 1963
Khmer Republic	14 December 1955
Kuwait	14 May 1963
Laos	14 December 1955
*Lebanon	24 October 1945
Lesotho	17 October 1966
*Liberia	2 November 1945
Libyan Arab Republic	14 December 1955
*Luxembourg	24 October 1945
Madagascar	20 September 1960
Malawi	1 December 1964
Malaysia[1]	17 September 1957
Maldive Islands	21 September 1965

[1] The Federation of Malaya joined the United Nations on 17 September 1957. On 16 September 1963, its name changed to Malaysia, following the admission to the new federation of Singapore, Sabah (North Borneo) and Sarawak. Singapore became an independent State on 9 August 1965 and a Member of the United Nations on 21 September.

Mali	28 September 1960
Malta	1 December 1964
Mauritania	27 October 1961
Mauritius	24 April 1968
*Mexico	7 November 1945
Mongolia	27 October 1961
Morocco	12 November 1956
Nepal	14 December 1955
*Netherlands	10 December 1945
*New Zealand	24 October 1945
*Nicaragua	24 October 1945
Niger	20 September 1960
Nigeria	7 October 1960
*Norway	27 November 1945
Pakistan	30 September 1947
*Panama	13 November 1945
*Paraguay	24 October 1945
People's Democratic Republic of Yemen	14 December 1967
People's Republic of the Congo	20 September 1960
*Peru	31 October 1945
*Philippines	24 October 1945
*Poland	24 October 1945
Portugal	14 December 1955
Romania	14 December 1955
Rwanda	18 September 1962
*Saudi Arabia	24 October 1945
Senegal	28 September 1960
Sierra Leone	27 September 1961
Singapore	21 September 1965
Somalia	20 September 1960
*South Africa	7 November 1945
Spain	14 December 1955
Sudan (Democratic Republic of)	12 November 1956
Swaziland	24 September 1968
Sweden	19 November 1946
*Syrian Arab Republic[2]	24 October 1945
Thailand	16 December 1946
Togo	20 September 1960
Trinidad and Tobago	18 September 1962
Tunisia	12 November 1956
*Turkey	24 October 1945
Uganda	25 October 1962

[2] Egypt and Syria were original Members of the United Nations from 24 October 1945. Following a plebiscite on 21 February 1958, the United Arab Republic was established by a union of Egypt and Syria, and continued as a single Member. On 13 October 1961, Syria, having resumed its status as an independent State, resumed its separate membership in the United Nations.

*Ukrainian SSR	24 October 1945
*USSR	24 October 1945
*United Arab Republic[2]	24 October 1945
*United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland	24 October 1945
United Republic of Tanzania[3]	14 December 1961
*United States of America	24 October 1945
Upper Volta	20 September 1960
*Uruguay	18 December 1945
*Venezuela	15 November 1945
Yemen Arab Republic	30 September 1947
*Yugoslavia	24 October 1945
Zambia	1 December 1964

[3] Tanganyika was a Member of the United Nations from 14 December 1961 and Zanzibar was a Member from 16 December 1963. Following the ratification, on 26 April 1964, of Articles of Union between Tanganyika and Zanzibar, the United Republic of Tanganyika and Zanzibar continued as a single Member, later changing its name to United Republic of Tanzania.

(Bhutan's membership was recommended by the Security Council on 10 February 1971. This recommendation must now be acted upon by the General Assembly.)

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